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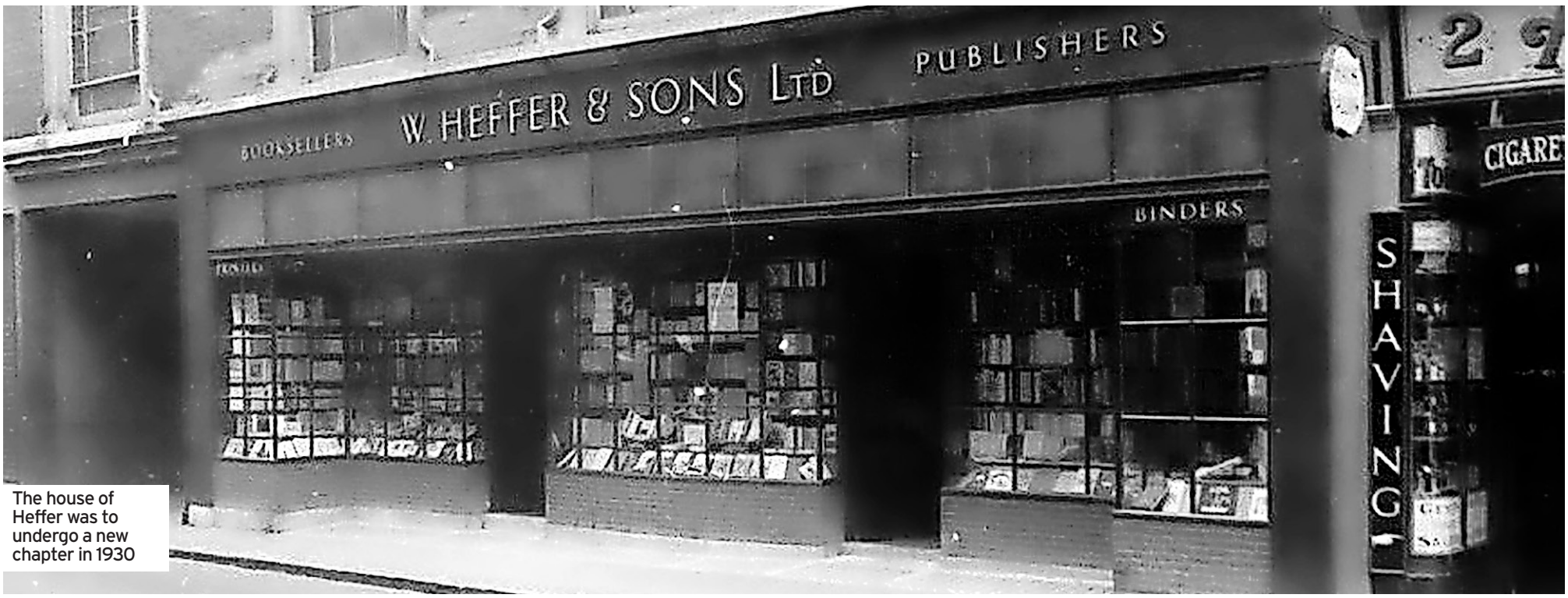


The house of Heffer was to undergo a new chapter in 1930

Artistic car owners commute to Cambridge – 1904

SOME London people, having an artistic sense, come to Cambridge for identification marks for motor cars.

Under the new act, motor cars may be registered in any county; each has one or more letters of the alphabet allotted to it and underneath are printed the numbers of the car.

London has but one letter, 'A,' and, as the registered cars there already number over a thousand, the one letter perched over four numbers looks awkward.

Cambridgeshire is endowed with two letters 'C.E.' and has presently only two numerals beneath, making a nicely-balanced identification mark.

But the demand may not continue as the number of motor cars, as well as of drivers in this county, rapidly approaches the hundred.

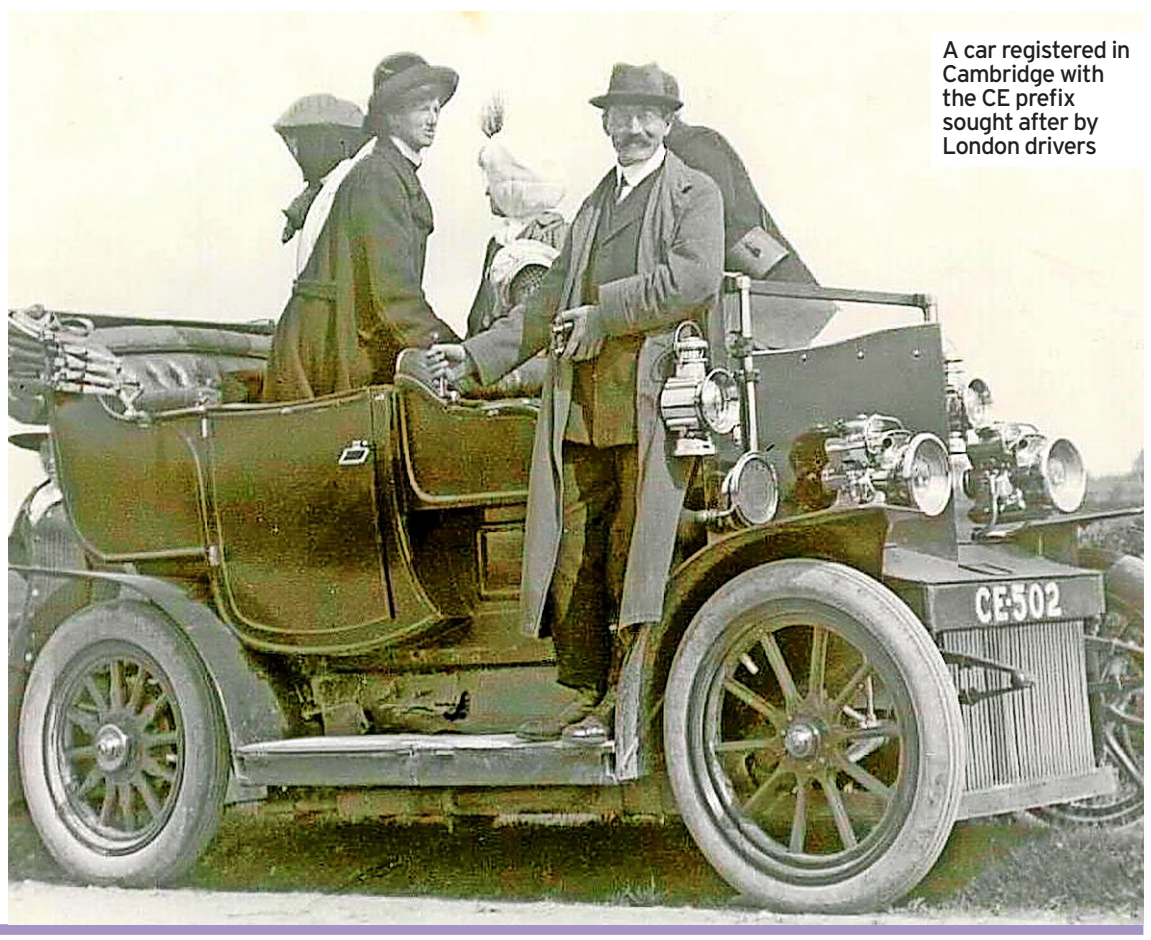
We gather our own news in our own way – 1902

THE Cambridge Express charges the police with having supplied the Cambridge Daily News with information and refusing to give it to the other newspapers. This is unfair.

The Cambridge Daily News gathered its own news in its own way, without any help from the police at all.

We telegraphed to Cork for a report of the hearing before magistrates which gave the probable date of arrival of the suspect in Cambridge.

Three reporters were stationed along the railway. One, at Gamlingay, saw detective Marsh and the prisoner in a compartment, entered the carriage and rode with them, thus securing the information.



A car registered in Cambridge with the CE prefix sought after by London drivers